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In response to the Notice To Notice Regarding Power of Attorney Mailed 06/09/2006 (a copy of which is enclosed), applicants submit the following document:

Notice of Recordation of Assignment dated October 14, 2003 in Parent Application 08/385,194.

Applicants believe that the Notice Regarding Power of Attorney was sent in error. The Assignment in the Parent Application (08/385,194) to the Regents of the University of Michigan was recorded at Reel Number 013860, Frame Number 0660. This Assignment carries forward to the present Continuation Application. As such, it is submitted that the Power of Attorney Previously Filed in this Application (attached here) was proper.

Applicants believe that no fee is due at this time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the payment of the required fee(s), and/or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 08-1290. An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

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This is in response to the Power of Attorney filed 05/22/2006. The Power of Attorney in this application is not accepted for the reason(s) listed below:

 The Power of Attorney is from an assignee and the Certificate required by 37 CFR 3.73(b) has not been received.

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